


§16. ? Surface Integrals

Last time: $\iint_S F(x,y,z) dS = \iint_D F(x(u,v), y(u,v), z(u,v)) |\vec{S}_u \times \vec{S}_v| du dv$

where $\vec{S}(u,v)$ parameterizes the surface S on domain D

Ex Compute $\iint_S x^2 dS$ for S the surface of the unit sphere centered at the origin

Sol: We parameterize S via

derived from
spherical
coords 

$$S(\theta, \varphi) = \langle \sin(\varphi)\cos(\theta), \sin(\varphi)\sin(\theta), \cos(\varphi) \rangle$$

on $(\theta, \varphi) \in [0, 2\pi] \times [0, \pi]$

$$\vec{S}_\theta = \langle -\sin(\varphi)\sin(\theta), \sin(\varphi)\cos(\theta), 0 \rangle$$

$$\vec{S}_\varphi = \langle \cos(\varphi)\cos(\theta), \cos(\varphi)\sin(\theta), -\sin(\varphi) \rangle$$

$\vec{S}_\theta \times \vec{S}_\varphi =$	\hat{i}	\hat{j}	\hat{k}
	$-\sin(\varphi)\sin(\theta)$	$\sin(\varphi)\cos(\theta)$	0
	$\cos(\varphi)\cos(\theta)$	$\cos(\varphi)\sin(\theta)$	$-\sin(\varphi)$

$$= \langle -\sin^2(\varphi)\cos(\theta), -(\sin^2(\varphi)\sin(\theta)), -\sin(\varphi)\cos(\varphi)\cos^2(\theta) \rangle$$

$$= -\sin(\varphi) \langle \sin(\varphi)\cos(\theta), \sin(\varphi)\sin(\theta), \cos(\varphi) \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\vec{S}_\theta \times \vec{S}_\varphi| &= \sin(\varphi) \sqrt{\sin^2(\varphi)\cos^2(\theta) + \sin^2(\varphi)\sin^2(\theta) + \cos^2(\varphi)} \\ &= \sin(\varphi) \sqrt{1} \\ &= \sin(\varphi) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \iint_S x^2 ds = \int_{\theta=0}^{2\pi} \int_{\phi=0}^{\pi} \overbrace{\sin^2(\phi) \cos^2(\theta)}^{x^2} \cdot \sin(\phi) d\phi d\theta$$

Fubini's $\rightarrow = \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2(\theta) d\theta \cdot \int_0^{\pi} \sin^3(\phi) d\phi$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_{\theta=0}^{2\pi} (1 + \cos(2\theta)) d\theta \cdot \int_{\phi=0}^{\pi} \sin(\phi) (-\cos^2(\phi)) d\phi \quad \begin{array}{l} u = \cos(\phi) \\ du = -\sin(\phi) d\phi \end{array}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin(2\theta) \right]_0^{2\pi} \cdot \int_0^{\pi} -(1 - u^2) du$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (2\pi - 0) \cdot \left(- \left[u - \frac{u^3}{3} \right]_0^{\pi} \right)$$

$$= -\pi \left(- \left(-1 - \frac{1}{3}(-1) \right) - \left(1 - \frac{1}{3} \right) \right) = \boxed{\frac{4\pi}{3}}$$


WANT: A theory of surface integrals of vector fields...
First we need to understand what "orientation"
should mean for surfaces

(changing orientation negates integrals)


Orientation \approx choice of direction

\uparrow orientation should be controlled by
the normal vector of the tangent
line to the surface at a given
point

$\rightarrow \vec{S}_u \times \vec{S}_v$ should point "out" or "up"
for positive orientation

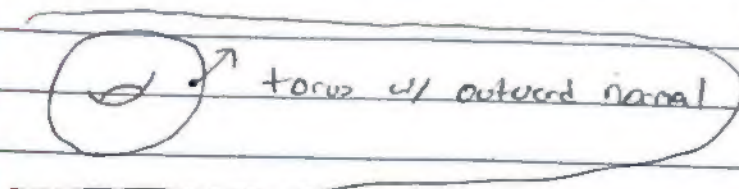
Ex:  pointing outward = pos. orientation

\hat{n} @ every point

 pointing inward = neg. orientation

Q: Can we always use a consistent orientation for a surface?

Möbius Band \rightarrow Surface = cylinder w/ half twist



torus w/ outward normal

Non-orientable
i.e. it has no
consistent choice
of normal

NB! Our surface integral from here on out will assume an orientable surface
i.e. $\hat{n}(u,v) = \frac{\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v}{|\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v|}$ for parameterization

$\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v$ is consistent

e.g. the Möbius band is excluded

Def: Given a vector field \vec{v} on \mathbb{R}^3 and an orientable surface S with parameterization $\vec{r}(u,v)$, the flux of \vec{v} across S is

$$\iint_S \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{S} = \iint_S \vec{v} \cdot \hat{n}(u,v) dS$$

$$= \iint_S \vec{v} \cdot \frac{\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v}{|\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v|} dS$$

$$= \iint_D \vec{v} \cdot (\vec{r}_u \times \vec{r}_v) dA$$

Ex: Compute the flux of $\vec{v} = \langle z, y, x \rangle$ across the unit sphere centered at the origin

NB: When no orientation is given, assume the "counter-clockwise from above" or "outward" orientation

Sol: From earlier, S is parameterized by

$$\vec{r}(\theta, \phi) = \langle \sin(\phi) \cos(\theta), \sin(\phi) \sin(\theta), \cos(\phi) \rangle \text{ on } (\theta, \phi) = [0, 2\pi] \times [0, \pi]$$

and has

$$\vec{S}_\theta \times \vec{S}_\phi = -\sin(\phi) \langle \sin(\phi) \cos(\theta), \sin(\phi) \sin(\theta), \cos(\phi) \rangle$$

Q: Is that outward normal?

- check "east pole" $(1, 0, 0)$

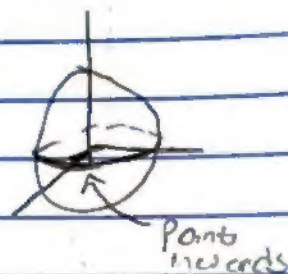
i.e. $(\theta, \phi) = (0, \pi/2)$

$$(\vec{S}_\theta \times \vec{S}_\phi)(0, \pi/2) = -1 \langle 1, 0, 0 \rangle = \langle -1, 0, 0 \rangle$$

inward orientation

\therefore We must work up $-\vec{S}_\theta \times \vec{S}_\phi$ instead

\therefore The flux of \vec{v} across S is



$$\iint_D \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{A} = \iint_D \vec{v}(\theta, \phi) \cdot (\vec{S}_\theta \times \vec{S}_\phi) dA$$

$$= \iint_D \langle \cos(\phi), \sin(\phi) \sin(\theta), \sin(\phi) \cos(\theta) \rangle \cdot (-\sin(\phi) \langle \sin(\phi) \cos(\theta), \sin(\phi) \sin(\theta), \cos(\phi) \rangle) dA$$

$$= \iint_D \sin(\phi) (2\cos(\phi) \sin(\phi) \cos(\theta) + \sin^2(\phi) \sin^2(\theta)) dA$$

$$= 2 \iint_D \cos(\phi) \sin^2(\phi) \cos(\theta) dA + \iint_D \sin^3(\phi) \sin^2(\theta) dA$$

$$= 2 \iint_D \cos(\phi) \sin^2(\phi) \cos(\theta) dA = 2 \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} \cos(\phi) \sin^2(\phi) \cos(\theta) d\theta d\phi$$

$$= 2 \int_0^\pi \cos(\varphi) \sin^2(\varphi) [\sin(\theta)]_0^{2\pi} d\varphi$$

$$= 2 \int_0^\pi 0 d\varphi = 0$$

$$\text{and } \iint_0 \sin^3(\varphi) \sin^2(\theta) dA$$

$$= \int_0^\pi \int_0^{2\pi} \sin^3(\varphi) \cdot \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos(2\theta)) d\theta d\varphi$$

$$= \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{2} \sin^3(\varphi) [\theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin(2\theta)]_0^{2\pi} d\varphi$$

$$= \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{2} (2\pi - 0) \sin(\varphi) (1 - \cos^2(\varphi)) d\varphi$$

$$u = \cos(\varphi) \quad u(0) = 1 \\ du = -\sin(\varphi) d\varphi \quad u(2\pi) = 1$$

$$= \pi \int_{u=1}^{-1} -(1 - u^2) du$$

$$= -\pi \left[u - \frac{1}{3} u^3 \right]_1^{-1} = -\pi \left((-1 + \frac{1}{3}) - (1 - \frac{1}{3}) \right) = \frac{4\pi}{3}$$

\therefore The flux of \vec{v} across S is

$$\iint_S \vec{v} \cdot d\vec{S} = 0 + \frac{4\pi}{3} = \boxed{\frac{4\pi}{3}}$$

Try @ Home!!

Compute the flux of \vec{v} across S for

$\vec{v} = \langle y, x, z \rangle$ on boundary of the solid enclosed by the paraboloid $z = 1 - x^2 - y^2$ and $z = 0$.